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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 10/599,726  
Applicant : Ralf Lerner  
Filed : 07/31/2007  
Title : CREATION OF DIELECTRICALLY INSULATING SOI-TECHNOLOGICAL TRENCHES COMPRISING ROUNDED EDGES FOR ALLOWING HIGHER VOLTAGES  
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Examiner : THINH T. NGUYEN  
Confirmation No. : 3310  
Docket No. : D4695-00160

Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

This is responsive to the Official Action mailed on March 16, 2010, in connection with the above-identified patent application. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.